

# RED IMPORTED FIRE ANT

## See RIFA

Areas Where  
Red Imported Fire Ant Mounds  
Can Be Found:

- ✦ irrigated turf areas
- ✦ parks and green belts
- ✦ edges of sidewalks
- ✦ the base of trees
- ✦ well-drained hillsides
- ✦ drainage channels
- ✦ refuse containers



## Report RIFA

Report the location of suspect mounds to your  
Local Red Imported Fire Ant Program Coordinator

**Name:**

**Phone:** (      )



## Confirm RIFA

The California Department of  
Food and Agriculture, RIFA Project,  
has a laboratory that can confirm  
the presence of Red Imported Fire Ant.

The differences between the  
Red Imported Fire Ant and  
the native Southern Fire Ant  
are microscopic.